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**IN RE APPLICATION OF:** James SCHROEDER

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**FOR:** Holder to Facilitate the Signing and Storage of Collectible Baseballs and Other Sports Memorabilia

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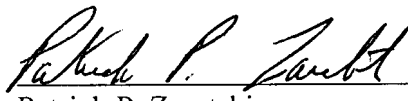
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SIR:

In response to the above-referenced notice from this Office dated November 7, 2007, a copy of which is herein enclosed, please also find enclosed a copy of the properly-labelled Figures 1 through 18 for the above-referenced application. No fees are believed due for this submission. The Applicant respectfully submits that this application is now ready for allowance. Should there be any further questions, this Office is respectfully requested to telephone the Applicant's undersigned representative at 973-595-6625 to arrange for a personal or telephonic interview in an effort to resolve any such questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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### *Notice of Allowance Mailed*

This application has been accorded an Allowance Date and is being prepared for issuance. The application, however, is incomplete for the reasons below.

Applicant is given two months from the mail date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. If the informality pertains to the abstract, specification (including claims) or drawings, the informality must be corrected with an amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 (or, if the application is a reissue application, 37 CFR 1.173). Such an amendment may be filed after payment of the issue fee if limited to correction of informalities noted herein. See Waiver of 37 CFR 1.312 for Documents Required by the Office of Patent Publication, 1280 Off. Gaz. Patent Office 918 (March 23, 2004). In addition, if the informality is not corrected until after payment of the issue fee, for purposes of 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(iv), "all outstanding requirements" will be considered to have been satisfied when the informality has been corrected. A failure to reply will result in the application being ABANDONED. This period for reply is NOT extendable under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Except for FIG. 18, the drawing figures filed on 10/17/05 are not labeled. Applicant must provide replacement drawing sheets with figures 1 through 17 as such.

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